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July 12, 2013

Board of Supervisors
Sachi A. Hamai, Executive Officer
Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration
500 West Temple Street, Room 383
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Ms. Hamai:

On Thursday, July 11, 2013, the Santa Fe Springs City Council adopted Resolution No. 9413, which is a request to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles to **consolidate** a General Municipal Election to be held on **November 5, 2013**, with the School District Election to be held on the same date, pursuant to Section 10403 of the Elections Code.

On Thursday, July 11, 2013, the City Council also adopted Resolution No. 9412, which calls and gives notice of the holding of a General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, for the election of certain officers as required by the provisions of the laws of the State of California relating to general law cities and for the submission to the voters a question relating to the amount of the oil barrel tax.

Lastly, on May 26, 2011, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 9319, which adopts regulations for candidates' statements submitted to the voters at the election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2011, and at each municipal election after that time.

Enclosed are signed, certified copies of said Resolutions.

Please feel free to call me should you have any questions or if I can be of further assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Anita Jimenez, CMC
Deputy City Clerk

Richard J. Moore, Mayor • Juanita Trujillo, Mayor Pro Tem
City Council
Luis M. González • Laurie M. Rios • William K. Rounds
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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

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LA County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk
Attn: Dean Logan
Election Coordination Unit
12400 E. Imperial Highway
2nd Floor, Room 2003
Norwalk, CA 90650

Dear Mr. Logan:

On Thursday, July 11, 2013, the Santa Fe Springs City Council adopted Resolution No. 9314, which is a request to the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles to **consolidate** a General Municipal Election to be held on **November 5, 2013**, with the School District Election to be held on the same date, pursuant to Section 10403 of the Elections Code.

On Thursday, July 11, 2013, the City Council also adopted Resolution No. 9412, which calls and gives notice of the holding of a General Municipal Election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, for the election of certain officers as required by the provisions of the laws of the State of California relating to general law cities and for the submission to the voters a question relating to the amount of the oil barrel tax. The City is not requesting a particular letter designation for our measure.

Lastly, on May 26, 2011, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 9319, which adopts regulations for candidates' statements submitted to the voters at the election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 2011, and at each municipal election after that time.

Enclosed are signed, certified copies of said Resolutions.

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City of Santa Fe Springs)

I, Anita Jimenez, Deputy City Clerk of the City of Santa Fe Springs, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and exact copy of **RESOLUTION NO. 9412** adopted by the Santa Fe Springs City Council on July 11, 2013.

(Seal)


Deputy City Clerk

7-12-13
Date

Richard J. Moore, Mayor • Juanita Trujillo, Mayor Pro Tem
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RESOLUTION NO. 9412

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, CALLING FOR THE HOLDING OF A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2013, FOR THE ELECTION OF CERTAIN OFFICERS AS REQUIRED BY THE PROVISIONS OF THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA RELATING TO GENERAL LAW CITIES, AND FOR THE SUBMISSION TO THE VOTERS A QUESTION RELATING TO THE AMOUNT OF THE OIL BARREL TAX.

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the laws relating to general law cities in the State of California, a General Municipal Election shall be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, for the election of Municipal Officers; and

WHEREAS, the City Council also desires to submit to the voters at the election a question relating to the amount of the oil barrel tax.

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Pursuant to the requirements of the laws of the State of California relating to general law cities, there is called and ordered to be held in the City of Santa Fe Springs, California, on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, a regular General Municipal Election for the purpose of electing three members of the City Council, each to hold office for a term of four years.

Section 2. That the City Council, pursuant to its right and authority, does order submitted to the voters at the General Municipal Election the following question:

Shall Ordinance No. 1044, which would increase the oil barrel tax charged to operators of oil wells in the City from \$.20 per barrel to an amount ranging from a minimum of \$.41 to a maximum of \$.52 per barrel, be adopted?	YES
	NO

Section 3. That the proposed complete text of the measure submitted to the voters is attached hereto as Exhibit "A".

Section 4. The form and content of the ballots to be used at this election will be as required by law.

Section 5. The Deputy City Clerk is authorized and directed to procure and furnish, through the County of Los Angeles Registrar/Recorder/County Clerk, all official ballots, notices, printed matter, supplies, equipment, and paraphernalia that may be necessary in order to properly and lawfully conduct the election.

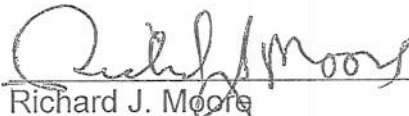
Section 6. The polls for the election will be open at seven o'clock a.m. on the day of the election and will remain open continuously from that time until eight o'clock p.m. of the same day when the polls will be closed, pursuant to Election Code §10242, except as provided in §14401 of the Elections Code of the State of California.

Section 7. In all particulars not recited in this Resolution, the election will be held and conducted as provided by law for the holding of General Municipal Elections.

Section 8. Notice of time and place of holding the election is given by this Resolution, and the Deputy City Clerk is authorized and directed to give such further or additional notice of the election as may be required by law.

Section 9. The Deputy City Clerk is directed to certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and will enter it in the book of original Resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 11th DAY OF JULY, 2013.


Richard J. Moore
Mayor

ATTEST:

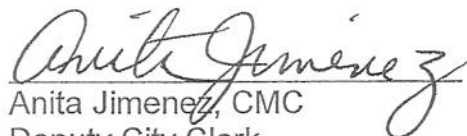

Anita Jimenez, CMC
Deputy City Clerk
(Seal)

EXHIBIT A

ORDINANCE NO. 1044

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS,
CALIFORNIA, INCREASING THE CITY'S OIL BARREL TAX

THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, DO ORDAIN AS
FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The second sentence of subsection (B) of Section 117.022 of the Santa Fe Springs City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

"In addition thereto, payable quarterly within 30 days after the close of each calendar quarter, an amount shall be paid for each barrel of oil or petroleum products production from such well during said calendar quarter, which amount shall be calculated as described in subsection (C), below, and which amount shall be not less than \$.41 per barrel, and not more than \$.52 per barrel."

In all other respects, said subsection (B) shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

SECTION 2. The following language is hereby added to Section 117.022 of the Santa Fe Springs City Code, as subsection (C):

"The amount paid per barrel as set forth in subsection (B), above, shall be calculated as follows by utilizing the average price paid for Buena Vista Hills crude oil (BV):

The average price for BV will be determined by calculating the average price paid for each quarter from the available posted prices for the field (for example Chevron http://crudemarketing.chevron.com/crude/north_american/california.aspx). If more than one poster is available then the average price for each poster will be determined first for the calendar quarter and then the average of multiple posters will be calculated to determine the final average price. There will be no API adjustment of pricing for BV used in such calculation.

The following table displays the tax rate to be paid for each barrel, based on the BV average price per barrel for the pertinent quarter:

	Price per barrel	tax rate per barrel
and below	\$ 89.99	\$ 0.41
	\$ 90.00 \$ 99.99	\$ 0.42
	\$ 100.00 \$ 109.99	\$ 0.43
	\$ 110.00 \$ 119.99	\$ 0.45
	\$ 120.00 \$ 129.99	\$ 0.47
	\$ 130.00 \$ 139.99	\$ 0.49
	\$ 140.00 \$ 149.99	\$ 0.51
	\$ 150.00 and above	\$ 0.52

In the event that there are no official posted prices for BV available in any quarter, the City and the operator of the Santa Fe Springs Unit shall meet and confer in good faith to choose an alternative price index.

In the event that the City and the operator of the Santa Fe Springs Unit cannot agree upon an alternative price index, then the methodology used to determine the monthly average price per barrel of oil for the purpose of utilizing the table displayed above to calculate the tax rate to be paid per barrel shall be to determine the average price of the Wilmington Oil Field (constrained to the Long Beach Unit and the West Wilmington Oil field under the Unit Operatorship of the City of Long Beach), with an adjustment to 26° API using the California refiner quality adjustment scales that are in effect at that time. The monthly averages in each quarter will be averaged to determine a single average rate for each calendar quarter.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall be effective if approved by a majority vote of the electorate voting on the issue, at the General Municipal Election to be held on November 5, 2013, within the City of Santa Fe Springs. If so approved, the Deputy City Clerk shall certify to adoption of this Ordinance, which shall take effect on January 1, 2014.

SECTION 4. The Deputy City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Ordinance, and shall cause the same to be posted in at least three (3) public places in the City, such posting to be completed not later than fifteen (15) days after passage hereof.



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City of Santa Fe Springs)

I, Anita Jimenez, Deputy City Clerk of the City of Santa Fe Springs, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and exact copy of **RESOLUTION NO. 9413** adopted by the Santa Fe Springs City Council on July 11, 2013.

(Seal)


Deputy City Clerk

7-12-13
Date

Richard J. Moore, Mayor • Juanita Trujillo, Mayor Pro Tem
City Council
Louie González • Laurie Rios • William K. Rounds
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RESOLUTION NO. 9413

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, REQUESTING THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES TO CONSOLIDATE A GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 5, 2013, WITH THE SCHOOL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE SAME DATE PURSUANT TO §10403 OF THE ELECTIONS CODE.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Santa Fe Springs, California, called a General Municipal Election to be held on November 5, 2013, for the purpose of the election of three members of the City Council for the full term of four years; and

WHEREAS, the City Council is submitting to the voters the question relating to the amount of the oil barrel tax; and

WHEREAS, it is desirable that the General Municipal Election be consolidated with the School Election to be held on the same date and that within the City, the precincts, polling places, and election officers of the two elections be the same, and that the Election Department of the County of Los Angeles canvass the returns of the General Municipal Election and that the election be held in all respects as if there were only one election;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. That pursuant to the requirements of §10403 of the Elections Code, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles is hereby requested to consent and agree to the consolidation of a General Municipal Election with the School Election on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, for the purpose of the election of three members of the City Council for the full term of four years.

Section 2. That a measure is to appear on the ballot as follows:

Shall Ordinance No. 1044, which would increase the oil barrel tax charged to operators of oil wells in the City from \$.20 per barrel to an amount ranging from a minimum of \$.41 to a maximum of \$.52 per barrel, be adopted?	YES
	NO

Section 3. That the County Election Department is authorized to canvass the returns of the General Municipal Election. The election shall be held in all respects as if there were only one election, and only one form of ballot shall be used.

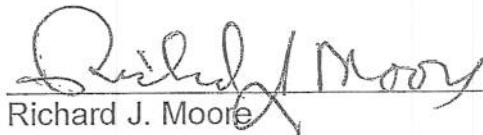
Section 4. That the Board of Supervisors is requested to issue instructions to the County Election Department to take any and all steps necessary for the holding of the consolidated election.

Section 5. That the City of Santa Fe Springs recognizes that additional costs will be incurred by the County by reason of this consolidation and agrees to reimburse the County for any costs.

Section 6. That the Deputy City Clerk is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this Resolution with the Board of Supervisors and the County Election Department of the County of Los Angeles.

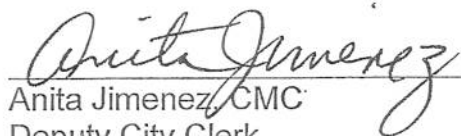
Section 7. That the Deputy City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 11th DAY OF JULY, 2013



Richard J. Moore
Mayor

ATTEST:



Anita Jimenez CMC
Deputy City Clerk
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I, Anita Jimenez, Deputy City Clerk of the City of Santa Fe Springs, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and exact copy of **RESOLUTION NO. 9414** adopted by the Santa Fe Springs City Council on July 11, 2013.

(Seal)


Deputy City Clerk

7-12-13
Date

Richard J. Moore, Mayor • Juanita Trujillo, Mayor Pro Tem
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RESOLUTION NO. 9414

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, ADOPTING REGULATIONS FOR CANDIDATES FOR ELECTIVE OFFICE PERTAINING TO CANDIDATES' STATEMENTS SUBMITTED TO THE VOTERS AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2013.

WHEREAS, §13307 of the Elections Code of the State of California provides that the governing body of any local agency adopt regulations pertaining to materials prepared by any candidate for a municipal election, including costs of the candidate's statement;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS. That pursuant to §13307 of the Elections Code of the State of California, each candidate for elective office to be voted for at an Election to be held in the City of Santa Fe Springs on November 5, 2013, may prepare a candidate's statement on an appropriate form provided by the Deputy City Clerk. The statement may include the name, age, and occupation of the candidate, and a brief description of no more than 200 words of the candidate's education and qualifications expressed by the candidate him/herself. The statement shall not include party affiliation of the candidate, nor membership or activity in partisan political organizations. The statement shall be filed in typewritten form to the office of the City Clerk at the time the candidate's nomination papers are filed. The statement may be withdrawn (in writing), but not changed, during the period for filing nomination papers and until 5:00 p.m. of the next working day after the close of the nomination period.

SECTION 2. FOREIGN LANGUAGE POLICY.

- a. Pursuant to the Federal Voting Rights Act, candidates' statements will be translated into all languages required by the County of Los Angeles. The County is required to translate candidate's statements in the following languages: Spanish.
- b. The County will mail separate sample ballots and candidates' statements in Spanish to only those voters who are on the County voter file as having requested a sample ballot in a particular language. The County will make the sample ballots and candidates' statements in the required language available at all polling places, on the County's website, and in the Election Official's Office.

SECTION 3. PAYMENT. The candidate shall not be required to pay for the cost of printing the candidate's statement or translating it.

SECTION 4. MISCELLANEOUS. The Deputy City Clerk shall comply with all recommendations and standards set forth by the California Secretary of State regarding occupational designations and other matters relating to elections.

SECTION 5. ADDITIONAL MATERIALS. No candidate will be permitted to include additional materials in the sample ballot package.

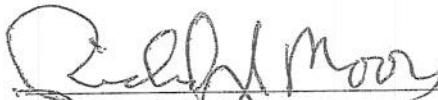
SECTION 6. That the Deputy City Clerk shall provide each candidate or the candidate's representative a copy of this Resolution at the time nominating petitions are issued.

SECTION 7. That all previous resolutions establishing Council policy on payment for candidates' statements are repealed.

SECTION 8. That this Resolution shall apply at the next ensuing municipal election and at each municipal election after that time.

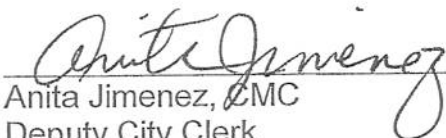
SECTION 9. That the Deputy City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and enter it into the Book of Original Resolutions.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 11th DAY OF JULY, 2013



Richard J. Moore
Mayor

ATTEST:



Anita Jimenez, CMC
Deputy City Clerk
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City of Santa Fe Springs)

I, Anita Jimenez, Deputy City Clerk of the City of Santa Fe Springs, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and exact copy of **RESOLUTION NO. 9415** adopted by the Santa Fe Springs City Council on July 11, 2013.

(Seal)


Deputy City Clerk

7-12-13
Date

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RESOLUTION NO. 9415

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, SETTING PRIORITIES FOR FILING (A) WRITTEN ARGUMENT(S) REGARDING A CITY MEASURE AND DIRECTING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO PREPARE AN IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS

WHEREAS, a General Municipal Election is to be held in the City of Santa Fe Springs, California, on Tuesday, November 5, 2013, at which there will be submitted to the voters the following measure:

Shall Ordinance No. 1044, which would increase the oil barrel tax charged to operators of oil wells in the City from \$.20 per barrel to an amount ranging from a minimum of \$.41 to a maximum of \$.52 per barrel, be adopted?	YES
	NO

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

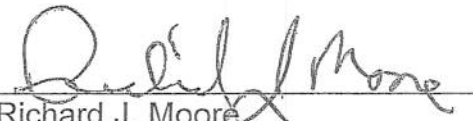
Section 1. That the City Council authorizes All members to file a written argument in favor of or against City measure not exceeding 300 words, accompanied by the printed names and signatures of the authors submitting it, in accordance with Article 4, Chapter 3, Division 9 of the Elections Code of the State of California. The arguments may be changed or withdrawn until and including the date fixed by the Deputy City Clerk after which no arguments for or against the City measure may be submitted to the Deputy City Clerk.


The arguments shall be filed with the Deputy City Clerk, signed, with the printed names and signatures of the authors submitting it, or if submitted on behalf of an organization, the name of the organization, and the printed name and signature of at least one of its principal officers who is the author of the argument. The arguments shall be accompanied by the form of Statement To Be Filed By Authors of Argument.

Section 2. That the City Council, directs the Deputy City Clerk to transmit a copy of the measure to the City Attorney. The City Attorney shall prepare an impartial analysis of the measure not exceeding 500 words showing the effect of the measure on the existing law and the operation of the measure. The impartial analysis shall be filed by the date set by the Deputy City Clerk for the filing of primary arguments.

Section 3. That the Deputy City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 11th DAY OF JULY, 2013.


Richard J. Moore
Mayor

ATTEST: 
Anita Jimenez, CMC
Deputy City Clerk
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City of Santa Fe Springs)

I, Anita Jimenez, Deputy City Clerk of the City of Santa Fe Springs, do hereby certify that the attached is a true and exact copy of **RESOLUTION NO. 9416** adopted by the Santa Fe Springs City Council on July 11, 2013.

(Seal)


Deputy City Clerk

7-12-13
Date

Richard J. Moore, Mayor • Juanita Trujillo, Mayor Pro Tem
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RESOLUTION NO. 9416

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, PROVIDING FOR THE FILING OF REBUTTAL ARGUMENTS FOR CITY MEASURES SUBMITTED AT MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

WHEREAS, Section 9285 of the Elections Code of the State of California authorizes the City Council, by majority vote, to adopt provisions to provide for the filing of rebuttal arguments for city measures submitted at municipal elections.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE, DECLARE, DETERMINE, AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

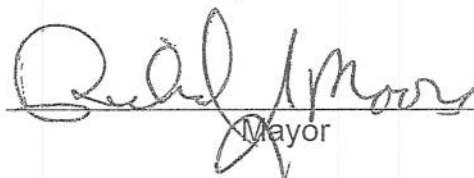
SECTION 1. Pursuant to Section 9285 of the Elections Code of the State of California, when the Deputy City Clerk has selected the arguments for and against the measure which will be printed and distributed to the voters, the Deputy City Clerk shall send copies of the argument in favor of the measure to the authors of the argument against, and copies of the argument against to the authors of the argument in favor. The authors may prepare and submit rebuttal arguments not exceeding 250 words. The rebuttal arguments shall be filed with the Deputy City Clerk not more than 10 days after the final date for filing direct arguments. Rebuttal arguments shall be printed in the same manner as the direct arguments. Each rebuttal argument shall immediately follow the direct argument which it seeks to rebut.

SECTION 2. All previous resolutions providing for the filing of rebuttal arguments for city measures are repealed.

SECTION 3. The provisions of Section 1 shall apply only to the election to be held on November 5, 2013, and then be repealed.

SECTION 4. The Deputy City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS 11th DAY OF JULY, 2013.



Mayor

ATTEST:



Deputy City Clerk